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Title: A METHOD FOR ISOLATION OF EPITHELIAL CELLS FROM A SOLUTION

Enclosed are the following papers, including those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR §1.53(b):

	<u>Pages</u>
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- Assignment cover sheet and an assignment, 6 pages, and a separate \$40 fee.
- Assignment cover sheet and an assignment, 2 pages, and a separate \$40 fee.
- Preliminary amendment, 8 pages.
- Small entity statement. This application is entitled to small entity status.
- Postcard.

This application is a continuation (and claims the benefit of priority under 35 USC 120) of U.S. application serial no. 09/655,708, filed September 6, 2000, which claims priority from provisional application serial no. 60/153,506, filed September 13, 1999.

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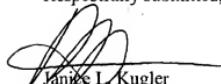
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